

MAR 11 2005

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Patent Application Serial No. ....10/774,188  
Filing Date ..... February 5, 2004  
Inventorship ..... Jason E. Tripard  
Assignee ..... Micron Technology, Inc.  
Group Art Unit ..... 2812  
Examiner ..... Unknown  
Attorney's Docket No. .... MI22-2494  
Title: Integrated Circuit Package Separator Methods

**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8**

I hereby certify that the following papers are being facsimile transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office at (703) 872-9306 on the date shown below:

1. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449
2. Transmittal Form (PTO/SB/21)

Dated: 3/11/2005

By: 

Natalie King

Telephone No. (509) 624-4276

Facsimile No. (509) 838-3424

**NUMBER OF PAGES IN FACSIMILE: 4**

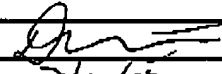
PTO/SB/21 (02-04)


Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0851-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

<b>TRANSMITTAL FORM</b> <i>(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)</i>	Application Number	10774,188
	Filing Date	February 5, 2004
	First Named Inventor	Jason Tripard
	Art Unit	2812
	Examiner Name	Unassigned
Total Number of Pages in This Submission	Attorney Docket Number	MI22-2494

ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form <input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply <input type="checkbox"/> After Final <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request <input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts/Incomplete Application <input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers <input type="checkbox"/> Petition <input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Correspondence Address <input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund <input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____	<input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance communication to Technology Center (TC) <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to TC (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) <input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information <input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below): Form PTO-1449
Remarks		
<b>SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT</b>		
Firm or Individual name	David G. Latwesen, Ph.D., Reg. No. 38,533 Wells St. John P.S.	
Signature		
Date	3/10/05	

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING		
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below.		
Typed or printed name	Natalie King	
Signature		Date 3/11/2005

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.5. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Patent Application Serial No. ....10/774,188  
Filing Date .....February 5, 2004  
Inventorship .....Jason E. Tripard  
Assignee .....Micron Technology, Inc.  
Group Art Unit .....2812  
Examiner .....Unknown  
Attorney's Docket No. ....MI22-2494  
Title: Integrated Circuit Package Separator Methods

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

References - See Attached Form PTO-1449

In compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, your attention is directed to the United States patent listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. A copy of the cited art is not included (1276 Off. Gaz. Pat. Off 55, 05 August 2003).

No admission is made regarding whether all the submitted references are prior art.

This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the filing date of the application or before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits, whichever occurs last. Therefore, no fee is believed to be required. However, in the event that a fee is required for filing this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, please charge the fee specified under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) to Deposit Account No. 23-0925.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 3/11/05By: David G. Latwesen, Ph.D  
Reg. No. 38,533

Form PTO-1449	U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE	ATTY. DOCKET NO. MI22-2494	SERIAL NO. 10744,188
LIST OF ART CITED BY APPLICANT (Use several sheets if necessary)		APPLICANT: Jason E. Tripard	
		FILING DATE February 5, 2004	GROUP 2812

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
*Examiner's Initials		Document Number	Date	Name	Class	Subclass	Filing Date if Appropriate
	AA	5,765,337	6/1998	Lodewegen et al.			
	AB	5,480,133	1/1996	Motav et al.			
	AC	RE: 34,125	11/1992	Amos et al.			
	AD	6,295,978	10/2001	Wark et al.			
	AE	6,540,014	4/2003	Getchel et al.			
	AF	6,701,910	3/2004	Roberts, Jay W.			
	AG						
	AH						
	AI						

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS								
		Document Number	Date	Country	Class	Subclass	Translation	
							Yes	No
	AJ							
	AK							
	AL							

OTHER REFERENCES (including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)			
	AM		
	AN		
	AO		
EXAMINER		DATE CONSIDERED	
*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.			